## POLICE DEPARTMENT

## CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU

801 SOUTH BERETANIA STREET · HONOLULU, HAWAII 96813 TELEPHONE: (808) 529-3111 · INTERNET: www.honolulupd.org

MUFI HANNEMANN MAYOR



BOISSE P. CORREA

PAUL D. PUTZULU KARL A. GODSEY DEPUTY CHIEFS

OUR REFERENCE LM-NTK

February 24, 2009

The Honorable Jon Riki Karamatsu, Chair and Members Committee on Judiciary House of Representatives State Capitol Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Chair Karamatsu and Members:

Subject: House Bill No. 441, H.D. 1, Relating to Child Care

I am Sean C. Naito, captain of the Criminal Investigation Division of the Honolulu Police Department, City and County of Honolulu.

The Honolulu Police Department opposes House Bill No. 441, H.D. 1, Relating to Child Care. The Department of Human Services currently regulates child care facility providers, licenses, permits, standards, inspections, and rules. Vigorous enforcement of the current laws pertaining to child care providers should be sufficient to provide a safe environment within these facilities.

The Honolulu Police Department urges you to oppose House Bill No. 441, H.D. 1, Relating to Child Care.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify.

Sincerely,

SEAN C. NAITO, Captain Criminal Investigation Division

APPROVED:

Chief of Police